GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Panchayats – Appeal Petition filed by Sri V. Yadgiri, Sarpanch, (Removed) Athvelly Gram Panchayat, Medchel Mandal, Ranga Reddy District – Against Proceedings of the District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District - Disallowed - Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.II) DEPARTMENT

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G.O. Rt. No. 648 Date:27- 04-2011.

Read the following:

 From the Dist. Collector, Ranga Reddy Dist., Procds. No.379/2009-B2 (Pts), Dated 19-10-2010.

- 2. Appeal Petition filed by Sri.V.Yadgiri (Removed) Athvelly Gram Panchayat, Medchel Mandal, Ranga Reddy District dt. 20-10-2010.
- 3. Govt. Memo. No. 138/Pts.II/A2/2011-1, dt 05-01-2011.
- 4. Govt. Telegram. No. 138/Pts.II/A2/2011-2, dt 11-01-2011.
- 5. Govt. Telegram. No. 138/Pts.II/A2/2011-2, dt 07-04-2011.
- 6. From the District Collector (PW) Ranga Reddy District Lr.No.379/2009-B2(Pts) dt. 19-10-2010.

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ORDER:

- 1. In the reference 1st read above, the District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District has removed Sri.V.Yadgiri from the post of Sarpanch of Athvelly Gram Panchayat, Medchel Mandal, Ranga Reddy District for misappropriation of Gram Panchayat Funds and misuse of powers u/s 249(1)& 265 of Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 and also issued recovery orders for an amount of Rs. 29,82,359/-.
- 2. Aggrieved by the said orders, in the reference 2nd read above, Sri.V.Yadgiri Sarpanch (Removed), Athvelly Gram Panchayat, Medchel Mandal, Ranga Reddy has filed an Appeal Petition before Government requesting to suspend the orders of District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy Proceedings issued vide reference 1st read above.
- 3. In the reference 3rd read above, the report of the Collector (PW) Ranga Reddy District has called for further action in the matter.
- 4. The case was heard on 17-01-2011. The Sarpanch and his Counsel have attended the hearing and since, the report of the District Panchayat Officer is not received, the case is adjourned for further date.
- 5. The case was again heard on 16.04.2011. The Sarpanch and his counsel have attended the hearing and as per the directions during hearings held on 17.01.2011, the District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy in his report has submitted that the Sarpanch has misappropriated Rs. 27,53,472/- of the Gram Panchayat of Athvelly during 2008-09. Subsequently during 2009-10 he has further misappropriated an amount of Rs. 2,56,505/-totaling 29,82,359/-. Out of six allegations five allegations are proved against him. The Sarpanch, athvelly Gram Panchayat has purchased new electrical items for which he has not taken the administrative sanction from the competent authorities. Moreover, he has utilized more than 15% of the budget of the year towards purchase of new electrical items. Even though the Divisional Panchayat Officer has accorded permission for civil works as per G.O.Ms.No. 91 (PR&RD) dt. 04.03.1999, he has diverted the same for purchase of electrical items which is against norms.
- 6. The Government after detailed examination of the case and material available in records hereby decided the Appeal Petition filed by Sri V.Yadgiri Sarpanch (Removed), Athvelly Gram Panchayat, Medchel Mandal, Ranga Reddy District be disallowed and confirm the orders of the District Collector, Ranga Reddy Districat, dated. 19.10.2010.

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Since, there is no reason to interfere with the orders of the District Collector, Ranga Reddy District and directed to issue suitable directions to the District Panchayat Officer to get the physical verification of the material, assess the value and take necessary action to recover the misappropriated amount if any and send a report to the Government.

7.. The District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. RAJIV SHARMA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The District Collector (PW), Ranga Reddy District.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

The District Panchayat Officer, Ranga Reddy District.

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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

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